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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Patent Application of)	
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Yoshikazu KUROSE)	
)	Group Art Unit: 2671
Serial No. 09/283,231)	
)	Examiner: M. PADMANABHAN
Filed: April 1, 1999)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS)	
AND METHOD OF THE SAME)	

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2001 (Paper No. 6), please amend
the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Please amend the title of the application to read as follows:

-- IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD OF PROCESSING
IMAGES THAT STOPS OPERATION OF PIXEL PROCESSING CIRCUITS WHEN
PIXEL DATA TO BE PROCESSED IS NOT NEEDED--.

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